SENATE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

COMMITTEE: Finance

TIME & DATE: 10:00 AM, Wednesday, May 4, 2022

PLACE: E1.036 (Finance Room)

CHAIR: Senator Joan Huffman

The Senate Finance Committee will meet Wednesday, May 4, 2022 at 10:00am to hear invited and public testimony on the following interim charges:

Inflation: Review and report on the effect inflation is having on the business community and state government, including state salaries, retiree benefits, the state economy, and cost of state services.

Inflation: Review and report on the impact of inflation on units of local governments' revenue collections and property taxpayers' tax bills, including the homestead exemption.

Russia Divestiture: Examine and report on options for state asset owners to divest their positions in companies that invest in the Russian Federation.

State Pension Reforms: Monitor the implementation of recent statewide pension reforms to the Employees Retirement System of Texas and the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

Public testimony is limited to 2 minutes. If submitting written testimony, please provide 40 copies, with your name on each copy, to the Committee during the hearing.

NOTICE OF ASSISTANCE AT PUBLIC MEETINGS

PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES WHO PLAN TO ATTEND THIS MEETING AND WHO MAY NEED ASSISTANCE, SUCH AS A SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER OR PERSONAL ASSISTIVE LISTENING DEVICES, ARE REQUESTED TO CONTACT THE SENATE COMMITTEE COORDINATOR AT 512/463-0070, 72 HOURS PRIOR TO THE MEETING SO APPROPRIATE ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE.

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